

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

Alex. H. Washburn

Gabby Muffs a Line

State Education

Investigation Near

GABRIEL HEATTER, whose views are as hard to keep up with as a church steeple weather-cock, hit a new low in my estimate Thursday night.

His unceremonious followers may excuse him for saying something one night and then taking it all back before the week's out, simply because he makes radio sound exciting. But I accuse the Great Gabby of a high and serious crime against his art.

Thursday night he told a story, but he muffed the punch-line—and the gag died.

Gabby was talking about world-wide hysteria, and he said the situation reminded him of the time the boys were whooping it up, when someone shoved his head through the doorway and shouted: "Jones, your house is on fire!" Everybody ran down the street until this one man pulled up short and said, "My name ain't Jones—or is it?"

Well, Gabby, we know that story down here. But that ain't the way it's told. Around these parts it goes like this:

Someone stuck his head through the saloon door and hollered: "Broussard, your house is on fire!" The saloon emptied and everyone ran down the street. After several blocks one of the boys stopped and sat down on the curb exhausted. "What am I running for?" said he. "My name ain't Broussard—and I don't even own a house!"

As you read on this page yesterday the legislature is threatening to make a full-scale investigation of the State Department of Education—Arkansas' politically haunted house.

There are a lot of things the people want to know, and it's not only the legislature's duty to inform the people, but the lawmakers would be wise in their own right to get down to the bottom of the trouble.

We'd like to know, for instance, at what precise moment the taxing and spending authority of the legislature passed over into the hands of the state's salaried employees in the Department of Education. Yet that's exactly what occurred last summer and fall when the D. E.'s lobbyists hatched up and promoted the infamous Amendment No. 41—which would have substituted rule by bureaucrats for that of the duly-elected representatives of the people.

We'd like to know, for another thing, who it was in the Department of Education who authorized state employees to go all over Arkansas and threaten school teachers with salary forfeiture if Amendment No. 41 didn't pass.

These are moot questions in a democracy, where the totalitarian threat has just been beaten at the polls. I don't feel good about that campaign on No. 41—and someone is going to be fired out of the Department of Education as soon as the people have grasped the full significance of what was perpetrated last fall.

Some effort has been made to embroil the Parent-Teachers associations in this controversy—but they are in the clear. Even though individual members may have been misled the charter groups are absolved for the simple reason that the PTA national organization forbids direct political activity, and any violation of the rule would fold a local PTA group at once.

The legislature makes the state laws, levies the state taxes, and says where and when the state monies shall be spent—the legislature and no one else does this—at least in the United States.

Injuries Fatal to Local Soldier

Injuries suffered Sunday in an automobile accident near Fort Worth, Texas, proved fatal to Staff Sergeant G. William Deloney of Hope. Sgt. Deloney was stationed near Fort Worth.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Sunday at the Hising Star Baptist Church.

Services will be in charge of the Rev. E. N. Glover, assisted by Chaplain R. J. Copeland of Fort Worth base. S. Sgt. L. P. Johnson is the official military guard. Interment at Cave Hill cemetery will be in charge of Hicks Funeral Home.

Sgt. Deloney is survived by his widow, two children, his mother, Elzette Hagland, four sisters and two brothers.

Arrangements for C. of C. Banquet Are Complete

Plans are complete for the annual banquet of the Hope Chapter of Commerce to be held at the Barlow Hotel January 25, 1951.

Tickets may be purchased on Tuesday of next week from Dewey Baber, Ben Owen or at the Chamber of Commerce office for \$1.50 each.

The address is to be given by D. Hudson Lewis, Manager of the Chamber of Commerce, Division of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

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March of Dimes Drive January 29

Plans were completed today for Hope to hold a "Mother's March on Polio" drive to aid the 1951 March of Dimes.

On the night of January 29, between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock anyone wishing to give to the March of Dimes will turn on their porch light and their neighbor will call on them for their contribution. Eddie Holland, campaign director for the March of Dimes, announced today the following appointments for this drive:

Chairman, Mrs. George Robison, Captains for Ward 1, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Coop.

Captains for Ward 2, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson Evans, Jr., Luther Hollamon and Jack Cleary.

For Ward 3, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Horton.

Ward 4, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Young Jr.

For Hope's Negro population: Chairman E. D. Douglas, Captains, Ward 1, Mrs. S. Mc-Washington and Mrs. Leona Mc-Cain.

Ward 2, Mrs. E. J. Rooks, Ward 3, Mrs. Mary Jones and Mrs. Carrie McGehee.

Additional workers are needed to aid in the collection between the hours of 7 and 8 p. m. January 29. Volunteers are requested to see the captains of the wards in which they wish to work.

MacArthur Denies New Far East Policy

Tokyo, Jan. 12 —(AP)—General MacArthur's public information officer said today that he originated — with MacArthur's approval — the new system of announcing Korean war news.

Col. P. Echols said "there is not an ounce of truth" to published reports that Washington had stripped MacArthur of authority to speak freely on progress of the war.

Under the new policy, the Eighth Army will issue all releases on Korean ground operations. MacArthur's headquarters will confine itself to general announcements relating to the whole command.

Also, the Far East air forces and the Far East naval command will continue to issue releases in Tokyo. Both are under MacArthur's command.

The Fifth Air force, controlling tactical operations, issues its releases as its Korean headquarters. Echols said he initiated the new plan to "minimize confusion." In the past, he explained, the separate releases by the Eighth Army and MacArthur's headquarters.

G. B. Mixon Dies in Hope Hospital

G. B. Mixon, aged 89, a former resident of Columbia county, died yesterday in a Hope hospital.

For the past 25 years he had made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Bert Keith of Hope. Other survivors include four grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Funeral services have been tentatively set for 10 a. m. Saturday at the Unity Baptist Church of Hope with the Rev. Howard White officiating.

Local Officers Assigned to Camp Polk, La.

Two army officers from this area have been assigned to duty with the 45th Infantry Division now in training at Camp Polk, La. They are:

Lt. Dale Woodson, Jr., Prescott and Lt. Homer H. Cobb, 1920 S. Main, Hope. Both men came to the Thunderbird division from Camp Chaffee, Ark. where they served with the Fifth Armored Division.

Lt. Woodson received his commission through the ROTC program at Ouchita and Lt. Cobb also received his through ROTC program at the University of Arkansas.

March of Dimes Program at Cale on January 17

The Lee-White quartet will stage a singing program at the Cale High School, Wednesday, January 17, at 7:15 p. m. The one and a half hour program will consist of religious and popular music. Admission will be 10 and 25 cents. Proceeds will be turned over to the March of Dimes campaign. Floyd Hicks Gilbert, acting-chairman, announced.



MOTHER OF QUADS SHOWN PHOTO — Mrs. Ann Rosebush, 34, mother of quads born to her Pontiac, Michigan, gets first glimpse of quads via photo in newspaper held by nurse Louise Fearsall, left. (NEA Telephoto)

Atom Experts to 'Tackle Dragon's Tail'

Washington, Jan. 12 —(AP)—The government's atomic weapons experts are getting ready to "tackle the dragon's tail" out in a Nevada desert.

That is what the physicists of the atomic energy commission call their trick of producing low-order nuclear fission bursts without provoking the atomic beast into a full-scale, death-dealing A-bomb blast.

They have been doing that laboratory trick since before the first A-bomb was exploded. But a new announcement from the AEC suggests that now they are able to produce bigger sub-explosion bursts and will begin that work on part of a 5,000-square-mile air force bombing and gunnery range near Las Vegas, Nevada.

The AEC said late yesterday it had been authorized by President Truman to use the Nevada range, located within convenient access to the Los Alamos, N. M., laboratory, for periodic test work. The tests, AEC said, "will include experimental nuclear detonation for the development of atomic bombs—so-called 'A-bombs'—carried out under controlled conditions."

Such big-scale, out-of-doors laboratory experiments could be directly associated with work toward developing atomic weapons for use by the army, already officially announced. Gen. J. Lawton Collins, army chief of staff, has indicated it was by no means impossible to develop an artillery shell or a guided missile with an atomic warhead.

It is to be assumed that in the process of reducing the atomic bomb to a size for fitting in shells or warheads the commission is exploring many phases of nuclear fission.

To produce true atomic explosions, like the A-bomb, the quantity of the component parts of the fissionable material generally cannot be too small. If less than "critical size," the explosion doesn't occur.

However, scientists have discovered that by building better containers of the fissionable material to prevent escape of neutrons the critical size may be diminished to some extent.

By HAL BOYLE
Cheju, Korea —(AP)—This island off South Korea used to be the best place in the world to be a man.

It was a kind of masculine Eden. Women did all the hard work. The men folk just loafed around home all day, bating the children around if they got out of line. And at night the wives brought home the bacon.

A man didn't even have to worry about politics. The women ran the government, too, as well as the deep sea diving. And they did the plowing and the hoeing on the small stony farms. Life was rugged, but as long as his wife's health lasted the husband didn't have much to fret about.

War has changed this male paradise, once a popular port of call for tourists who liked to take snapshots of deep-chested lady divers grappling in the briny deep for iodine-rich seaweed and abalone.

It has become a refugee sanctuary for all Korea, and a prospective Gibraltar or second Formosa of the Pacific. What Formosa is for the Chinese Nationalist government the island of Cheju is becoming for the hard-pressed Korean republican government of President Syngman Rhee.

Cheju is a poor and mountainous island harassed by recurrent guerrilla uprisings. It is about 45 miles long and 12 miles wide—roughly one-seventh of the size of Formosa.

It bears approximately the same relation to Korea in peacetime that Sicily does to Italy. Its males normally migrate to all parts of

UN Vote Is Near on Last Peace Bid

Lake Success, Jan. 12 —(AP)—The United Nations drove toward a vote today on a final peace bid to Communist China, offering a political conference on Far Eastern problems in return for a cease-fire in Korea.

The United States accepted the plan. Russia, in what seemed to be a stall for time, expressed coolness toward it.

Non-Communist spokesmen made it plain that if Peking rejects the offer, the Reds can expect no further overtures and the war will go on.

Diplomats here held little hope that China's Communists would agree to the proposals. They felt, however, the effort was worth while if only as a demonstration that the U. N. had explored the last possible avenue to peace.

The five-point plan, drafted by cease-fire commission members Nasrollah Entezam of Iran, Sir Bengali N. Rau of India and Canada's Lester B. Pearson, will be put before the 60-nation political committee in a resolution this afternoon.

Sponsors hoped for a vote before today's session ends. General assembly approval of the resolution also could come today, since the assembly can be called merely by adjourning the committee, then convening its parent body in the same room.

Announcement of the plan yesterday brought from Soviet Delegate Jacob A. Malik the charge

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The Last Real Paradise of the Carefree Male Is Now Being Upset by Korea War

the Orient, and this migration explains the fact that customarily there are more women than men here.

Why men want to leave a place where women do most of the work is a question the sociologists are still studying. The men who stay say the men who go away don't know a good thing when they have it.

But enough men have always stayed to keep Cheju's rocky acres overworked with a population of about 200,000. They export products from the sea, but have to import rice from the mainland.

It is a pleasantly uncivilized land. You can stroll along a dusty road five miles out of town and meet only a country gentleman lazily escorting a shaggy-coated black pig to market. Or you may have to run from a band of guerrillas slipping down from the hills.

The last major guerrillas uprising, in the spring of 1949, was a particularly bloody affair. It was smashed, but the hill rebels still come down in small groups every few weeks to grab cattle and shoot up a few national police.

So far they haven't bothered the two small American contingents stationed here.

Maj. George Metcalf of Wheaton, Ill., commands one group of 11 men helping to train elements of the Korean air force.

"They aren't too hard to train," he said. "One Korean major got 20 American victories flying with the Japanese air force. We flew against each other in the Pacific."

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Truman Calls for Tax Boost This Session

Washington, Jan. 12 —(AP)—President Truman today called on congress to boost taxes this session by "very much more" than the \$8,000,000,000 combined total of the last two increases.

The President, in his annual economic message, notified the lawmakers that the nation's security will demand lending and spending authority totalling \$140,000,000,000 for this fiscal year and next. The present fiscal year runs out next July 1.

As he set it out, this total would be for actual military and foreign aid spend plus ce on t r a e n g, lending and loan guaranteeing authority for national security purposes. Other government expenses would be in addition to this.

Mr. Truman said workers must accept wage restraints and business men must accept lowest profits — that no one should seek to hike his income to escape his share of the higher tax burden.

He told the legislators, too, that 1,000,000 more men and women may be added to the armed forces within a few months. The military manpower goal has been a force of 3,200,000 by June 30, but only today this figure was raised to 3,492,205.

Congress voted a \$4,700,000,000 increase in individual and corporate taxes through an "excess profits" tax and an increase in existing taxes.

Mr. Truman used no space figure for his new tax proposals but said the total should exceed the combined total of these two bills.

Mr. Truman said it should be the first principle of policy to "maintain a balanced budget, and to finance the cost of national defense on a 'pay-as-we-go' basis." He added:

"Corporations should pay much higher taxes. Individuals should pay much higher taxes. Excess taxes should be higher and more extensive."

Mr. Truman said new tax proposals soon would be submitted to congress carrying these recommendations as well as recommendations for closing "many loopholes" in present tax laws.

The President also informed congress that staffs are being rapidly gathered to apply "broader controls" over prices and wages.

"In the case of prices," he said, "the general policy must be to hold the price line with a tight fist."

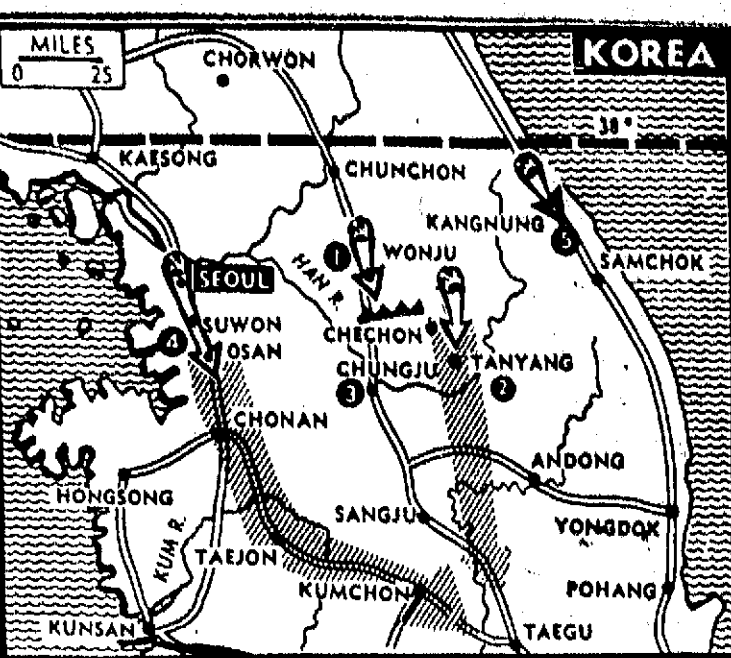
He asked that the department of agriculture be "granted authority to control speculative trading and to strengthen its regulation of commodity exchanges."

As he did in last Monday's state of the union message, the President emphasized the great threat from Communist aggression.

He said "large and menacing forces" led by Russia are "arrayed against the free world."

"The great manpower under the control of Soviet communism is being driven with fanatical zeal to

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REDS TRY FLANKING MOVE — A powerful Red flanking column swept around the defense line (jagged symbol) held by United Nations force on southern edge of Wonju (1) and was reported bearing down on Tanyang (2). This move threatened to flank strategic Chungju (3) and was aimed across escape highways from Western Korea to the old Pusan beachhead. On western front Chinese Communists continued buildup in Oan (4) area and renewed offensive down Oan-Taegu road was expected momentarily. North Koreans claimed capture of Kangnung (5), 20 miles below 38th parallel. (NEA Telephoto)

Catholic Clergy Ban Applies to All Clubs; Rotary Heads Baffled at Pope's Order

Vatican City, Jan. 12 —(AP)—A Vatican decree forbidding Catholic clergy to join Rotary International was explained today, applies equally to such a similar organizations as Kiwanis, the Lions and other civic groups.

A member of the congregation of the sacred office, which drew up the decree, said the document reiterated the church's preference that Catholic laymen and women associate themselves with Catholic church-sponsored or recommended organizations, such as the Knights of Columbus.

The member said the decree, published yesterday in the Vatican's "Los Elevators Romanos," is a general directive and neither a condemnation of Rotary nor an impediment to membership of Catholic laymen in the organization.

The decree was approved by Pope Pius XII, who is perfect of the congregation, one of 11 such bodies that govern church affairs.

The decree, this source said, is explicit insofar as it regards Catholic clergy. They cannot be members of Rotary—or other organizations having a "worldly" character—nor attend the meetings.

Any clergyman who is a member of Rotary, this source said, must resign from that club. The implication of the decree, the source added, is that similar action must be taken by clergyman who are members of Kiwanis, or like groups.

The decree was described as a general rule opening so far as the Catholic laymen are concerned, to local interpretation by bishops.

Thus, should a Rotary club in some particular area be considered to be influenced by Masonry, local bishops might decide to ask of order Catholics not to associate themselves with it. This would apply to "non-confessional" organizations other than Rotary.

The Vatican source said that the congregations decree mentioned Rotary only because it was drawn in answer to a query concerning that organization, but that its general rule was equally applicable to all similar organizations.

The explicit queries to the congregation upon which its action is based are held secret.

Two factors weighed in forbidding clergyman membership in Rotary or attendance at its meetings. This source added:

First, it was the organization's "worldly" character. Second, its meetings sometimes hold subject, including religious subject, where the attendance of a priest might be misconstrued by Catholic laymen as church approval of the discussion.

Gas Pipeline Workers Are Coming Here

Approximately 323 workers of the Bechtel Corporation are moving into Hope and about half are bringing their families for a 3 to 4 months stay.

The Bechtel Corp. is installing a 30-inch pipeline through Arkansas and Missouri for the Texas-Illinois Company. The line on completion will run from Victoria, Texas to Chicago.

Headquarters for the organization is now being moved from the Texarkana Airport to a building at the "Proving Ground." The new site is just north of here between the city limits and the Bechtel Camp.

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WEATHER FORECAST

Arkansas — Clouds with occasional rain, warmer this afternoon. Tonight, Saturday occasional rain turning colder in northwest.

Artillery, Plane Beat Off Reds in Wonju Area

Tokyo, Jan. 12 —(AP)—Bilateral Allied air strikes and artillery barrages crippled a Red Korean attack near Wonju today. But other Communist force striking miles behind this Allied position threatened the entire United Nations stand in central Korea.

The deep-striking Red column skirted the American-French-Dutch line in the Wonju area, fought several sharp clashes with Allied patrols on the approach to Tanyang, 37 miles southeast of Wonju.

The flanking Reds set up a road block, mined a vital supply line and poured a hail of mortar and arms fire into an Allied force bent out to clear the route.

Two North Korean divisions, the Sixth and 10th—were mining a deep wedge into the United Nations positions in central Korea. Fully 20,000 Communist troops in this force which was threatening the supply and withdrawing routes of the U. S. Second Division and its French and Dutch supporting units making a standing stand just south of Wonju.

The immediate peril in the Wonju area eased as daylong Allied air strikes and artillery barrages routed two Red Korean divisions which had seized a commanding height Thursday night.

This force, striking from the north, had cut a road to Wonju-Chechon road, occupied dominant hill and slammed a sledge into the Allies' shoe-shaped defense perimeter just south of Wonju.

The fighting raged in foot snow and bitter cold.

Navy pilots from the carrier Philippine Sea, based in the mid-Pacific, were ordered to "They killed an estimated 100 men and we caught them in a trap." Lt. JG Don Loran, USN, said.

Second Division artillery blasted a Red position near Wonju.

Field dispatches said the artillery pounding wiped out the Reds.

The Communists broke and fled into the northern hills at dawn. Allied troops then recaptured the town.

Allied cargo planes then dropped 215 tons of food, ammunition, medical supplies and other aid to the central Korean defenders.

Other Red forces were driven south of Wonju.

But brisk fighting swirled in the Tanyang area, far behind the Allied position. Tanyang, a rail and road center, is about 10 miles away from the bend. It is a strategic one-way route for the Second Division, looking toward the old Pusan beachhead.

The Communists set up a roadblock near Ochi, a town on the main road between Tanyang and Chungju 22 miles to the north. They poured fire on Allied troops carrying supplies.

Allied patrols rushing to clear the supply road ran into mines. Then the Reds attacked.

Another vanguard patrol of Communist flanking force with Allied troops near Tanyang.

The Eighth Army did not report there were any Red troops along the Chungju highway.

A. F. Correspondent Barnard reported that there were two Red divisions in the Tanyang area. He said the 10th division was in the force around the eastern end of the Second Division. Staff of the force were reported south of Chechon, about 10 miles north of Tanyang.

A. F. Correspondent reported that the Communist force had been driven back to the right flank of the main road.

If Tanyang, a vital port of entry for supplies, were to fall, the fighting would be a serious one. It is expected that they are now in the area.

The second division, which is now in the area, is expected to be in the area.

W. Shanhouse, Inc. today announced its Hope plant had been awarded a \$120,000 defense contract by the New York Quartermaster procurement agency.

The army requisitioned 40,000 field jackets without liners at \$2 each. At present the firm is working on samples and expects to start production in January.

The firm is now in the process of securing a building at the Texarkana Airport to a building at the "Proving Ground." The new site is just north of here between the city limits and the Bechtel Camp.

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SOCIETY

Phone 1268 or 1269 Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

Thursday, January 11
The B and PW Club will meet at the Barlow Hotel at 7 p. m.

Friday, January 12
The Baker Home Demonstration Club will have their January meeting at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. T. B. Fenwick, West Ave. B. New leaders will be appointed at this meeting. Visitors are welcome.

The Camella Garden Club will meet with Mrs. George Wright at 2 p. m. Mrs. G. E. West will be associate hostess.

Saturday, January 13
The Keyboard Junior Music Club will meet at 10 a. m. in the home of Carolyn Sue Coffey with Charlotte Tarpley as co-hostess.

Tuesday, January 16
The American Legion Auxiliary will meet at 7:30 with Mrs. Mary Hamm, 916 South Elm. Associate hostesses will be Mrs. Fred Robinson, Mrs. Thompson Evans, Jr. and Mrs. A. S. Williams.

Birthday Of Opportunity Discussed at PTA

The Hope High School PTA met yesterday afternoon in the school auditorium. Mrs. Claude Tillery, president, conducted the meeting. The meeting was opened by prayer followed by the Lord's Prayer in unison. The secretary's report was read and approved and the treasurer reported a \$76.92 balance. A collection was taken for

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I had heard so many tales about women going through 'change of life' which is usually between 38 and 52 years—I really dreaded reaching middle-age for I, like so many women, would suffer from hot flushes and nervous irritability due to this functional irregularity peculiar to women. I tried to laugh it off but all of a sudden I found myself suffering from these embarrassing symptoms. Then believe it or not—my mother-in-law told me how wonderful Lydia Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is to relieve such symptoms. I started taking Pinkham's Compound and I find I get amazing relief from hot flushes and flighty, high-strung, nervous feelings—when due to this cause.



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Tabbing of Tobey Cheers Democrats

Washington, Jan. 12.—(AP)—The tabbing of Republican Senator Tobey for a seat on the senate foreign relations committee appeared to give the Truman administration something to cheer about today.

But some of the other committee assignments reportedly slated for GOP senators could make the going rougher for the "fair deal" domestic program which President Truman says he continues to stand behind.

Mr. Truman made his position clear regarding that program at a news conference late yesterday. He added, however, that for the present defense programs "must have top priority."

The President spoke out on that matter as the senate Republican group in charge of committee assignments was nominating Tobey, of New Hampshire, to the foreign relations committee. The new Republican seat results from the party's gains in the congressional elections last November.

Tobey is regarded generally as a supporter of the objectives of the administration's foreign policy—the policy which some of his GOP colleagues have been attacking vigorously.

It is no secret at the capitol that some Republicans who disagree with the policy wanted the foreign relations post to go to a man in their camp. One of those critics, Senator Brewster of Maine, bid for the seat but Tobey nose him out on the basis of greater length of senate service, or seniority.

The same seniority rule wiped out the chances of two other applicants who, like Tobey, are generally friendly toward the administration's foreign policy goals. They are Senator Morse of Oregon and Senator Aiken of Vermont.

Morse had the backing of the aging Senator Vandenberg of Michigan, senior Republican on the foreign relations committee. However, the length-of-service rule prevailed.

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, a member of the GOP committee on committees, told reporters about the nomination of Tobey at a meeting held behind closed doors.

Senator Butler of Nebraska, chairman of the assignments committee, declined to announce the Republican appointments to the other legislative committees until they had been submitted to a conference of all GO P senators scheduled for today. The appointments are not official until ratified by the conference.

Fayetteville Fire Loss Is \$75,000

Fayetteville, Jan. 12.—(AP)—The main shop of the Budd Post and Hardware company were heavily damaged by fire last night, with damages set tentatively at not less than \$75,000.

Most of the plant's specialized machinery, almost impossible to replace at this time was destroyed. The plant manufacturers barrel staves, handles and other wood products. Cause of the blaze was not known.

Texas Christian's basketball team will face 12 conference and 12 non-conference foes this season.

DOROTHY DIX Economy

Dear Miss Dix: Is my husband right in his point of view, or am I right in mine? He believes that economy consists in entirely doing without things. Thus: If you save quite a sum by doing without a thing, you are not justified in spending any of this surplus, but must put it all in the bank. I feel that if I have done without something for a while to save money I am entitled to spend part of what I have saved for something I need and want very much, and which I feel is a sensible buy. And, after having done so, I am glad to economize a little to make up for it. Surely one of us is right and the other wrong in our system of saving. What do you think?

Answer: I think you are right. Economy does not mean miserliness. It means the judicious handling of money, and that involves wise spending as much as saving. I am strong for thriftiness. Everyone who earns money above their absolute daily needs should lay up something for that rainy day that is bound to come to us all.

Save For Old Age
It is the duty of every one who can to save when they are making money so that when they are incapacitated for earning they will not be a burden on other people. It is a dishonest thing for men and women to spend all their money as they go along and then expect

others to support them when they are sick or old.
But, while thrift is a virtue, it is one that can easily be overdone and the saver frequently makes just as much of a mistake in hoarding his money as the spender does in throwing his to the winds. Just as everyone should put away something for the rainy day, so everyone should use most of what he makes in enjoying the sunshine of today.

In the back of some savers' heads is the idea that some day they will indulge themselves in the pleasures that they crave but which they deny themselves. Some day they are sure to have fine clothes and nice furniture. Some day they are sure to have fine clothes and high-powered cars. Some day they are going to see the far places in the world of which they have dreamed.

But the time never comes, or if it does they do start out to spend some of the money they have hoarded they find it is too late. They have absorbed the power of environment. They no longer want anything and the grip of their hands has grown so tight on every penny they cannot let it go.

Dear Miss Dix: Will you please tell me how I can tactfully tell my mother that we would appreciate it very much if she would let us have our own company alone

some time? Every time anybody comes she takes a seat in the living room and not only monopolizes the conversation but makes very personal remarks to our guests. We are glad to have mother with us and do everything in the world for her comfort and we don't want to hurt her, but it would prevent many uncomfortable hours if she would stay in her room, or go to the movies when we have guests. What to do about it? My husband is getting nervous over the situation.

PERPLEXED WIFE
Answer: There is nothing you can do about it without hurting her feelings, for if you speak to her at all on the subject you will simply have to tell the truth—that you don't want her about when you have company, and between wounding my mother to the quick or boring my friends to tears, I should sacrifice the friends.

It is certainly hard on you and your husband to have your nice parties broken up by a talkative old lady who can never get enough of the sound of her own voice, and to realize that she is driving your friends away from you, but there is no help for you that I can see. All old people are lonely and they love company and they are obsessed by a desire to talk about themselves, and there isn't a chance in the world that you are ever going to be able to keep mother in her room when you have company.

Dear Miss Dix: I am a girl who does not know whether or not she is in love. I think of him a million times a day. When he is around I can see no one but him. I hear no one else when he speaks. I am in

a daze of happiness and light-headed. Will it wear off in time? What shall I do? This is my first experience.

Answer: Don't put too much stress on your symptoms of love as you diagnose them. To a dispassionate listener they sound more like an indication of softening of the brain than the grand passion. Girls who are suffering from their first heart attacks always think that they are fatally stricken but they soon find out that it was only a passing indisposition and before they know it they are up and about and able to take an interest in some new boy.

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State Farmers Asked to Search for Family

Little Rock, Jan. 12.—(AP)—Governor McMath has asked Arkansas farmers in western Arkansas to search their property for the missing Carl Mosser family.

Mosser, his wife and three children, Illinois residents, are believed to have been slain. They were reported seen in Arkansas.

William E. Cook, 24-year-old former Missouri convict, is being sought in the family's disappearance.

One Arkansan Dies in Air Accident

By The Associated Press
One Arkansan died and others survived without injury in a crash of a B-24 bomber Wednesday night and Thursday morning. The crash occurred near Little Rock, Ark., on the border of California.

M-Sgt. Lullburn N. Cate, 30, killed in the crash of a B-24 bomber near Little Rock, Ark., on the border of California. Cate was a veteran of 17 years in the air force. Survivors included his widow and small daughter, Mrs. Cate, and his mother, Mrs. Cate of Little Rock.

Sgt. James J. Barnes, 32, of Seavey, was one of five crewmen who parachuted to safety when a B-24 Superfortress fell in flames near Seguin, Tex. Six other men died in the accident.

M-Sgt. Paul G. Cameron of Workson, near El Dorado, and all 10 other persons aboard parachuted to safety from a C-47 which crashed in flames shortly after ward near Albuquerque, N. M., late Wednesday.

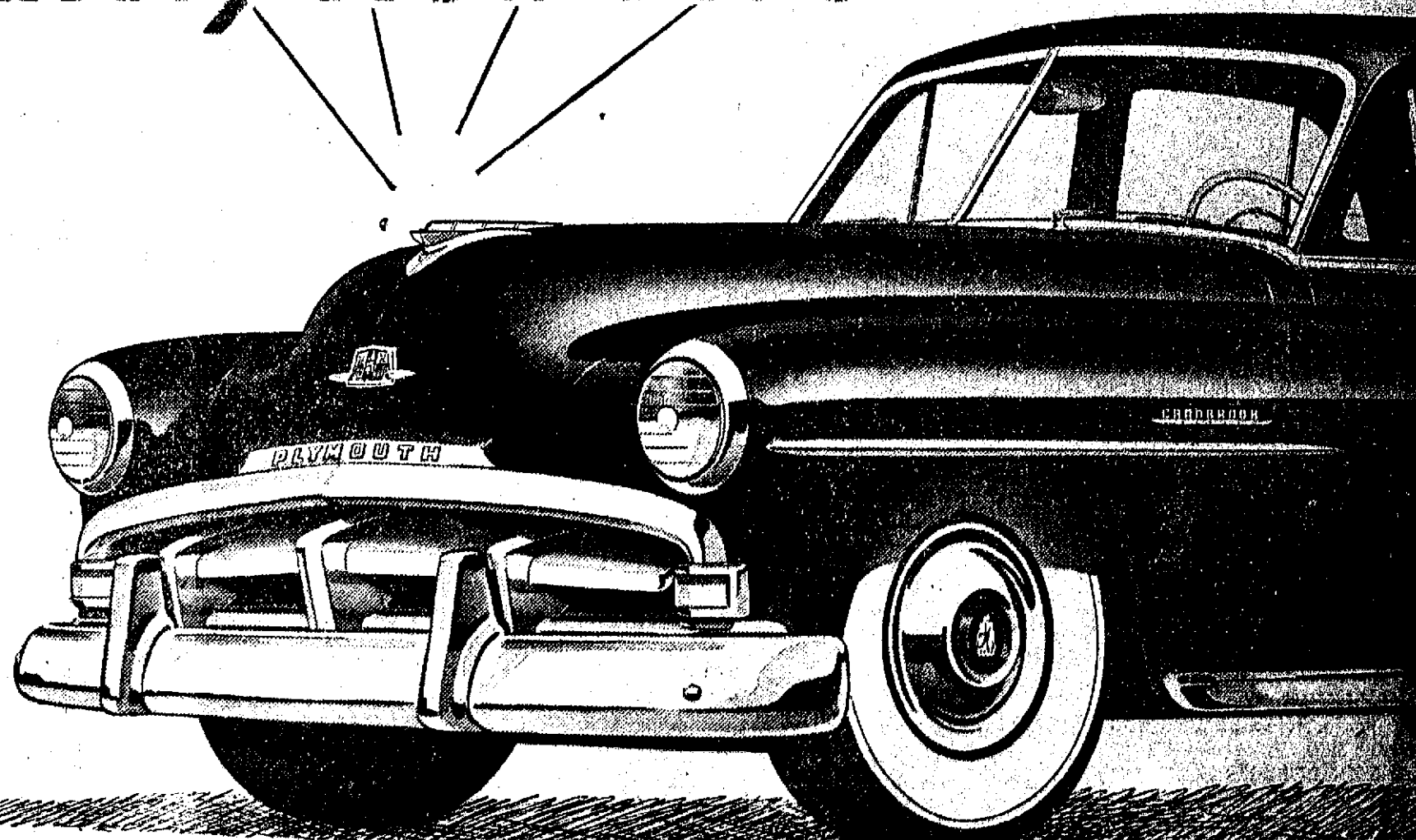
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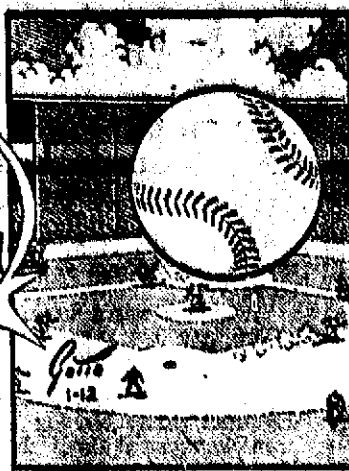
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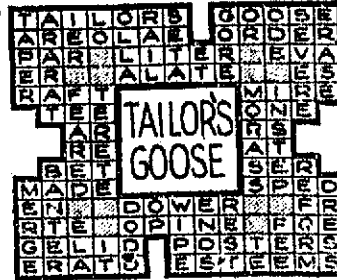
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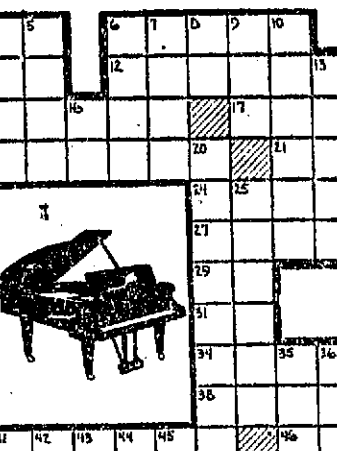
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- HORIZONTAL**
- 1,6 Depleted musical instrument
 - 11 Din
 - 12 Musical instruments
 - 14 Fall behind
 - 15 Abyssinian city
 - 17 Touch lightly
 - 18 One
 - 19 Division
 - 21 Depart
 - 22 Image
 - 24 Above
 - 26 Allot
 - 27 Unusual
 - 28 Medical suffix
 - 29 Note of scale
 - 30 Correct (ab.)
 - 31 Half an em
 - 32 Container
 - 34 Bird's home
 - 37 Always
 - 38 Woody plant
 - 39 Behold!
 - 40 Parkers
 - 46 Parent
 - 47 Ignited
 - 49 Worship
 - 50 Pitch
 - 51 Cling
 - 52 Russian unions
 - 55 Oozes
 - 56 Inclines

- VERTICAL**
- 1 Look
 - 2 Tatter
 - 3 Part of "be"
 - 4 Not one
 - 5 Haul
 - 6 Sit

- 7 Persia**
8 Silver (symbol)
9 Short sleep
10 Wild ass
11 Demand
12 Shop
16 College degree (ab.)
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23 Indolent
25 More useless
32 Sanctuary
33 Eludes
35 Petal parts



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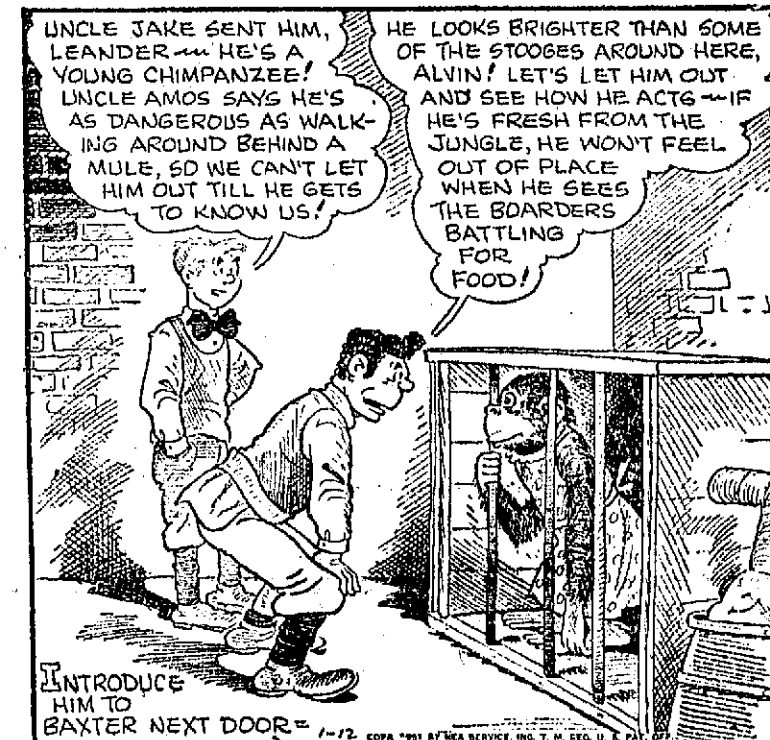
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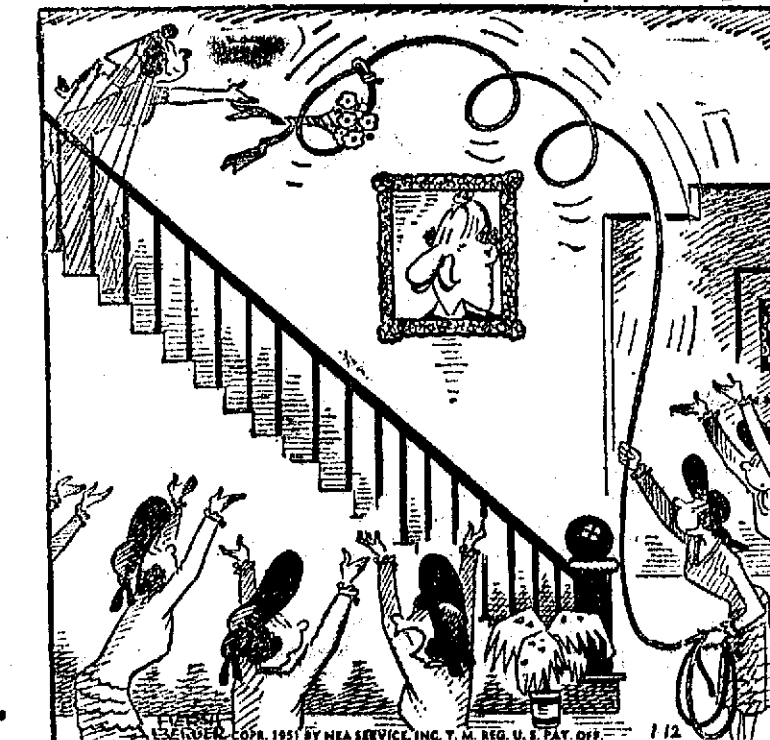
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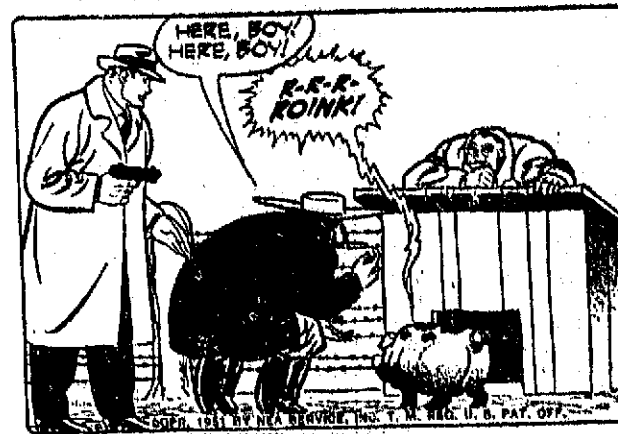
"We should have expected this—she's from the great open spaces!"

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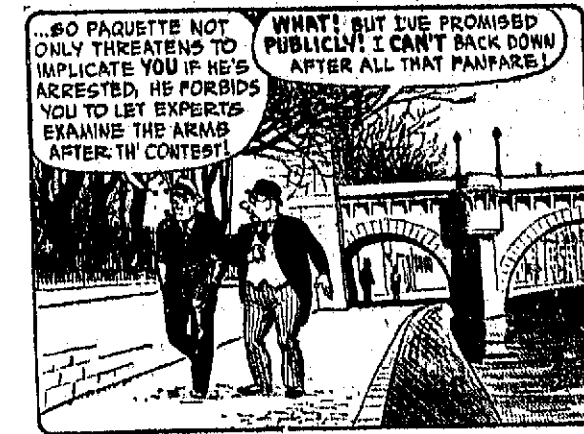


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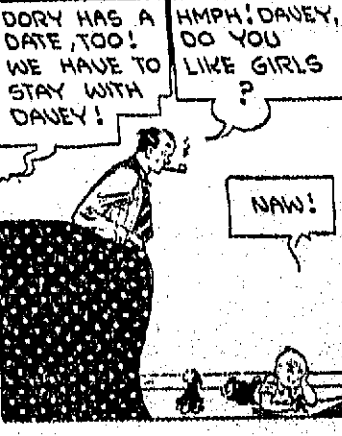
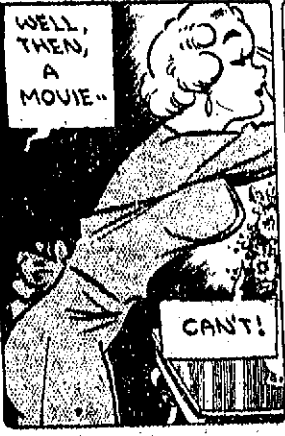
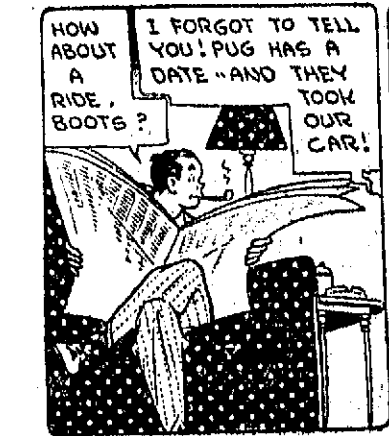
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WASH TUBBS



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ROOTS AND HER BUDDIES



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"The dope! He gives me fifty cents and pushes me right into a higher income bracket!"

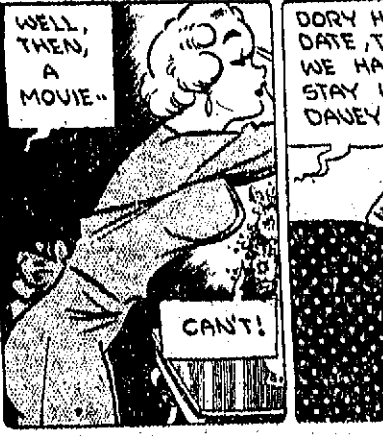
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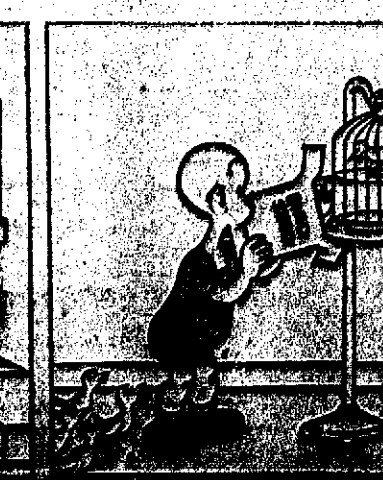


"I can hardly wait till it's warm enough to get out on the beach in our bathing suits—a girl can express her personality better than in a stuffy old classroom!"

ALLEY OOP



By V. T. Hamill



PRISCILLA'S POP



